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SUBJECT: THROWN SILK

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1. WE AND JAPANESE HAVE JOINTLY NOTIFIED THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PANEL HEARING THE US COMPLAINT ON THROWN SILK THAT US AND JAPAN HAVE REACHED A SATISFACTORY SOLUTION. TEXT OF JOINT NOTIFICATION READS AS FOLLOWS:

"WE HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOU, AS CHAIRMAN OF THE GATT PANEL HEARING THE COMPLAINT BROUGHT BY THE UNITED STATES UNDER ARTICLE XXIII:2 OF THE GENERAL AGREEMENT RELATING TO JAPAN'S MEASURES ON IMPORTS OF THROWN SILK, THAT CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN HAVE ACHIEVED A SATISFACTORY SOLUTION. AS A RESULT OF THESE CONSULTATIONS (1) THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES IS SATISFIED WITH THE WAY IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT OF

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JAPAN WILL IMPLEMENT THE PRIOR PERMISSION SYSTEM ON THROWN SILK AND (2) THE TWO GOVERNMENTS RECOGNIZE THAT THE CONSULTATION UNDER PARAGRAPH 1 OF ARTICLE XXIII OF THE GATT HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO A SATISFACTORY SOLUTION.

"WE WOULD, THEREFORE, LIKE TO REQUEST THAT THE PANEL TERMINATE THE ON-GOING PROCEDURE UNDER PARAGRAPH 2 OF ARTICLE

XXIII OF THE GATT CONCERNING THE REPRESENTATION MADE BY
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AT THE GATT COUNCIL ON
JULY 26, 1977, AND THAT THE PANEL NOTE IN ITS REPORT TO
THE COUNCIL THE RESULT OF THE CONSULTATIONS MENTIONED ABOVE
IN (1) AND (2).

"ON BEHALF OF OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS, WE WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS
OUR APPRECIATION OF THE PANEL'S EFFORTS IN THIS MATTER."
VANDEN HEUVEL

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